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REGULATION OF GENE EXPRESSION USING CHROMATIN

REMODELLING FACTORS

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the communication mailed April 30, 2008, the period of response being extended from May 30, 2008 to June 30, 2008.

The amount of \$120 to over the required extension fee for a large entity is being paid.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Merchant & Gould P.C., Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

Respectfully submitted,

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